Indiana Office of Technology (IOT) Information Technology Standard (ITS) 05-1

Technology Profile: Network

Specific Area: Low Voltage Structured Cabling

Purpose: To establish standards for low-voltage structured cabling for voice, data,

video, office automation, fire alarm, security and other low-voltage

systems to be deployed for the state.

Standard: IOT establishes the State of Indiana "Structured Cabling System Installation &

<u>Material Specifications</u>" as the standard for all inter / intra building cabling. This standard applies to State occupied facilities whether rented, leased or owned.

This standard Supercedes the structured cabling standards listed in "<u>Data Communications - Wiring, Equipment, and Management</u>" published on March 13. 1996

Scope: All agencies within the executive branch of Indiana state government

Statutory Authority: IC 4-13.1

References:

1. The "National Electric Code" published by the U.S. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)

- 2. ANSI/TIA/EIA's "Commercial Building Telecommunication Standards"
- 3. United States Department of Administration, Rural Utility Services' "Rural Utility Standards"
- 4. Insulated Cable Engineers Association (ICEA) Specifications
- 5. The "Americans with Disabilities Act" ADA
- 6. State and Federal Regulations published by the "U.S. Federal Communications Commission" (FCC) and the "Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission" (IRC)
- 7. State and Local Building Codes
- 8. BICSI publications:
 - a. Telecommunications Distribution Methods Manual
 - b. Telecommunications Cabling Installation Manual

- c. <u>Customer-Owned Outside Plant Design Manual</u>
- d. Network (LAN) Design Manual
- 9. State of Indiana, Department of Administration, Division of Information Technology's (DoIT) "<u>Structured Cabling System Installation & Material Specifications</u>"
- 10. All other industry standards that are referred to in the above referenced documents.

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